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USING IN-BAND COMMUNICATIONS

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Please consider the amendment and remarks that accompany this request.

The RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is authorized in an accompanying transmittal letter. This RCE is filed prior to the expiration of the time period for paying the Issue Fee for this application (and prior to the payment of the Issue Fee), in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(a) and MPEP § 1308(I)(A). Entry of these amendments is respectfully requested. Please contact the undersigned attorney with any questions concerning this request or the above-identified patent application.

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